6th Students and Parents/Guardians Careers online information meeting -Tuesday 5th November 2024

The 6th Year Students & Parents career information event will be an online Google Meet on <u>Tuesday 5th November 2024 at 5.30pm</u>:

Video call link: <u>https://meet.google.com/euo-qfun-ajb</u>

We will provide an online presentation on CAO college applications. We will also provide information on Further Education/PLC (Post Leaving Certificate) courses, apprenticeships grants and access routes to college (DARE & HEAR). Prior to this we are sending you today a list of useful links which we hope you find helpful.

Please submit any questions you have in relation to college applications (<u>lporter@olschool.ie</u> or <u>fbannan@olschool.ie</u>) and we will endeavour to answer these questions in our online presentation. There will also be an opportunity to submit questions at the end of the Google Meet. **We encourage both 6th Year students and their parents to join this information meeting.** If students are attending after-school study they may leave at 4.30 or 5pm to go home and log on to the meeting with their parent/guardian.

6th Students & Parents 2024/25 Information Evening - Useful Links

CAO Introduction video - How the CAO works https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KhbZ0CEiFNk

CAO Information for Parents page http://www.cao.ie/index.php?page=parents

Applying to CAO video guide <u>http://www.cao.ie/index.php?page=video&bb=studentresources</u>

The CAO a guide for Parents and Guardians http://www2.cao.ie/downloads/documents/CAOparentsguide.pdf

Information on HEAR & DARE Access Routes to College <u>www.accesscollege.ie</u>

Information on SUSI College Grants www.susi.ie

The CAO www.cao.ie

Database of CAO and PLC(Further Education) courses <u>www.qualifax.ie</u>

National career information portal <u>www.careersportal.ie</u>

Information on Apprenticeships <u>www.apprenticeship.ie</u>

Information video on apprenticeships from Solas https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Nqlci9ctiSg

Information on Scholarships https://careersportal.ie/school/student_supports_more.php?parent=2141 &ed_sub_cat_id=446&menu_parent_id=

Information on Further Education and Training(FET) this includes apprenticeships, traineeships, Post Leaving Cert (PLC) courses, community and adult education as well as core literacy and numeracy services.

www.fetchcourses.ie

The slides for our presentation are available on the school guidance website. Please see the link below.

Kind regards Fionnuala Bannan

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